

Claims

1. A compound comprising the amino acid sequence AMVSE, wherein said  
5 compound does not comprise the amino acid sequence EQEYVQTV.
2. A compound according to claim 1 which is a polypeptide.
3. A compound according to claim 2 which is AMVSEFLQAW.
- 10 4. A pharmaceutical composition which comprises a compound according to any preceding claim and which further comprises one or more pharmaceutically acceptable excipients.
- 15 5. A compound according to any one of claims 1 to 3 or a composition according to claim 4 for use as a pharmaceutical.
6. Use of a compound according to any one of claims 1 to 3 or a composition according to claim 4 in the manufacture of a medicament for inhibiting leukocyte  
20 migration, or treating or preventing inflammation and/or inflammatory response/disease.
7. A method of inhibiting leukocyte migration, or treating or preventing inflammation and/or inflammatory response/disease, comprising administering to an  
25 animal an effective amount of a compound according to any one of claims 1 to 3 or a composition according to claim 4.
8. Use according to claim 6 or a method according to claim 7, wherein the inflammatory response/disease is gout, gouty arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, asthma,  
30 reperfusion injury or damage, stroke, myocardial infarction, septic shock, or a skin disorder.